

## **NEWS RELEASE**

## HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF POLICE OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

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## Police investigating homicide in Dayton

Suspect in custody

Howard County police are investigating a homicide of a man found in an outbuilding on a property in Dayton.

Police were called to the property in the 4900 block of Ten Oaks Road around 3 p.m. for a report of shots fired. An adult male was found deceased. He is not being identified pending notification of next of kin.

Preliminary investigation indicates that the victim and suspect were known acquaintances and that there was a brief confrontation between the two, which resulted in the victim being shot.

A witness provided police with a suspect vehicle description. A vehicle matching the description was subsequently located in the vicinity and the person police believe to be responsible for the shooting was taken into custody. Charges are pending. The suspect will be identified once charges are filed.

No other information is available at this time. Investigation continues.